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FRESHMEN CONQUER SOPHOMORES

SOPHS WIN CLASS FIGHT.

But Freshmen Keep the Banner.

Last Thursday the Freshmen put up a little Flag. They called It their Banner. They put It up early in the Morning. When the Sophs woke up They saw the Flag, hanging down from the Top of the Flag Pole, Waving. They were Mad. They got Together in a little Group. They thought They would take down the Flag. They ran toward the Flag Pole, in an orderly Mob. The Freshmen were very Frightened. They were Rattled. They didn't know What to Do. So they tied all the Sophs up with Rope.

After capturing the Freshmens Rope, the Sophs thought they would like to go over to the Gym. So they made the Freshmen carry Them over to the Gym. They made the Freshmen tie them to the Mats, so they could Sleep without Rolling out of the Gym.

One Sophomore was named Bruce. He was a very Bad Man. He must have been Wanted, by the Police. The Freshmen did not know he was Wanted. They let him walk Out without an Escort. The Sheriff got Him, with a Gun. The Freshmen had to rescue Bruce from the Hand of the Law. This was very Humiliating to the Freshmen.

Another Sophomore was named Dickey. He did not like to stay in the Gym, where No One could see Him. He asked to be tied to the Flag Pole, where he could be seen from Chaudoin, and eat Grass. So they did This. He looked very Cute tied to the Flag Pole. So it took Fourteen Freshmen to keep the Girls away from Him. They acted a little Crazy.

The Sophs wanted their Picture Taken, to show how they beat the Freshmen. So they took it. But one Soph, named Rascoe, was very frightened when he saw the Camera Man. He sobbed Bitterly. So That is why You will Miss his Smiling Face in the Picture. But the Rest look very Nice, all dressed up in the Freshman Rope.

At last the Sophs said Take down that flag. They said We don't like It, don't ever let Us see It again. So the Freshmen took down the Flag; and the Sophs won't ever see It again.

Then the Sophs gave the Freshmen back their Rope. And We All went Home.

DER DEUTSCHE VEREIN.

No Program.

As the officers and Chaudoin girls, with the exception of three, played truant, no programme was rendered. This is a deplorable state of affairs and it is hoped that some will "mend their ways."

MOOT COURT.

The trial of the case of Mary Adams Ex'r vs. James Brown, was tried in the Moot Court of John B. Stetson University Tuesday afternoon. The plaintiff in the case represented by McIlvain & Hale, in spite of able argument lost the case the jury returning a verdict for the defense.

LENA CONKLING RECITAL

Former Stetson Student.

The Collegiate is glad to announce the coming of Miss Lena Conkling to the University Auditorium, Friday evening, February 23rd. Miss Conkling is a graduate of our Music Department and a real artist. Since graduating here she has been studying in New York City under the most competent instructors.

There are many people in the University and the city who will remember Miss Conkling with no little appreciation. She has sung in the churches of DeLand, and many, many times delighted the large Sunday audiences at Vespers. Those who have heard her in more recent years are enthusiastic in their praise of her rich, full and voluminous soprano voice. During the recent years of study she has added a wonderful technique to her natural ability.

Tickets will be on sale at Fowler's and the price of admission will be fifty cents. The time is not far distant when it will cost many times fifty cents to hear this gifted daughter of Stetson.

Miss Claire V. Whiting, who was for several years a member of the Stetson faculty, was a visitor at chapel the other morning. We welcome Miss Whiting back.

SAVANNAH HITS THE MAT.

Stetson Girls Victors.

The Stetson Girls Basketball Team took another close game last week by defeating Savannah 18 to 15. The home outfit seemed to be about to swamp the visiting team in the first half, but Savannah upset the dope bucket by coming back strong in the second frame. Near the end of the last period the score was tied by the visitors, but Stetson's team had what it took to swing the score their way.

Sarah Smith was the star of the game, dropping seven clean field goals. Miss Hardee was nearly as good, scoring six goals for Savannah.

The line-up:

Stetson		Savannah
Peyton	F	Hardee
Smith	F	Massett
Turnquist	JC	Kehoe
Bates	RC	Renfroe
D. Haynes	G	Heriot
Woodall	G	M. Browne

Substitutes—C. Haynes, Wickliffe.

Goals—Peyton 1, Smith 7, Hardee 6, Massett 1.

The members of the Junior Class entertained themselves at the home of their President, Mr. A. J. Parkhurst, last Saturday night. After a repast there the class adjourned to the movie show to see a picture of Mary Pickford.

K. CLUB ENTERTAIN.

Progressive Dinner Served to Members.

The members of the Kewpie Klub were entertained at the homes of several of the members to a progressive dinner party. Different courses were served at different homes which gave an oddly interesting dinner to many of the members. The first course, consisting of fruit cocktail, was served at the home of Miss Katherine Jackson. The tables were prettily decorated with pink roses at this course. From there the Club went to the home of Miss Bob Kruse where the dinner course was served. Miss Kruse had Valentine decorations at her home which gave the spirit of the month to the affair. Miss Moody Adney was the hostess to the salad course and had the dining room decorated in rustic manner. Miss Johanna Powell was hostess for the fourth course consisting of ice cream and the tables at Miss Powell's were decorated with the flowers of the Club, pink and white carnations. The fifth and last course was served at the home of Miss Marjorie Thomas and the course consisted of coffee and nuts. At the place of each member was a large pink carnation.

The Kewpies announce two pledges to their Club: Miss Vivian Ericson and Miss Nina Bizzelle.

ALL STARS DEFEAT STETSON

Rutherford Injured.

DeLand's fastest basketball team met in two mixed teams as a preliminary to the girls game. The play was hard and close, but the game was not finished, being called on account of an injury to Dud Rutherford's knee. The score stood 19 to 18 in favor of the DeLand All Stars when the whistle blew.

The line-up:

DeL. All-stars		Stetson
White	F	Miller
Gillilland	F	Gardiner
Bassett	C	Rutherford
Gee	G	Caro
Hollander	G	Fenno

Substitute, Allen. Goals, White 3, Gillilland 3, Allen 1, Miller 1, Gardiner 1, Rutherford 3, Caro 1. Free Throws, Gillilland 5, Rutherford 6. Referee, Harkness.

EUSOPHIAN LITERARY SOCIETY.

Election of Officers.

The Eusophian Literary Society held its weekly meeting Friday February 9. The meeting was called to order by the Vice-President, Olga Bowen, in the absence of the President, Mamie Haynes. After the reading of the minutes of the last meeting, the following program was given:

1.—Lincoln as a Writer, Marian Hanne.

2.—Stories of Lincoln, Jessie Swingle.

3. Song, Alma Mater.

The program was short, due to election of officers and "the College Play."

The following officers were elected for the coming term:

President—Olga Bowen.
Vice-President—Mildred Smith.
Treasurer—Mildred Brown.
Secretary—Fern Fillingham.
Program Manager—Sara Chase.
Censor Critic—Irene Smith.
Junior Critic—Ruth Jackson.
Senior Critic—Rose Nowell.

STETSON LITERARY SOCIETY

Small Attendance.

At the usual time the Stetson Literary Society convened in its room in Science Hall to carry out the program prepared for the occasion. The thoughts of the members were apparently on the college play which was to follow the meeting and the small attendance was thus accounted for. The program was probably for the same reason not as well prepared as usual. As it was executed it is as follows:

Reading—Evelyn Webster.
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Current Events—Kathryn Leisher.
Biography of Burns—Virginia Bow.
Extempore—Edgar Wells.
Parliamentary Practice—George Keppel.
Junior Critic's Report—Dion Goodwin.

Robert Moore, of Haverford College, Pennsylvania, has challenged Ben Hulley for the Championship in men's singles at the University.

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At Vesper Service Dr. Hulley delivered one of the finest addresses of the year on the subject, "The Costly Glories of the Higher Life," biased on the verse found in Revelations, "They that are come out of great tribulation."

The music was especially good. A solo by Miss Harrington, accompanied by Miss Ford on the piano, and Miss Rogers on the violin. Miss Spofford and Miss Watts sang solos in an anthem and at the close of the service the choir sang an anthem.

Miss Ruth Houston, a former graduate of the Stetson Academy, will soon return to take up a further course at Stetson.

KENT LITERARY SOCIETY

Debate Goes to Affirmative.

The members of the Kent Law Club met in their room in Science Hall Friday night and the following program was given:

The subject for debate was "Resolved that co-education in Colleges was desirable." The affirmative of the issue was presented by Mr. Catts and Mr. Peterson while the negative was taken by Mr. McCutcheon and Mr. Chalker. After an interesting discussion the judges, Young, Wilson and Caro, decided for the affirmative.

Mr. Peterson, the manager of the basketball team, then gave a talk to the club on the recent trip taken by the Stetson Basketball team through the Southern States. The talk was interesting and Mr. Peterson told many humorous occurrences which happened on the trip.

Mr. Young gave a talk to the club upon the subject of war which was interesting. After the society had closed its business session the members adjourned.

Y. W. C. A.

No Meeting Last Week.

There was no regular meeting of the Y. W. C. A. last week, as the girls were given the opportunity to hear Mrs. Hill, who has been the leading speaker in the School of Missions held in the City during the week, speak at the Presbyterian Church.

Girls, endeavor to be present at the meetings as much as possible. Your co-operation is greatly needed to make our association a success.

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EDITORIAL

Progress.

Progress for the whole of civilization is founded upon the dreams of those that believe in dreams. Those who advance do so by seeing their dreams become reality. Life is not the same endless repetition of events, the advancement of the world in all the sciences has been upon what the ordinary man will not stop to consider—a dream. It is by outwitting your fellow-man in the mysterious odd thoughts of your mind that brings civilization one step more ahead. The dreams of Edison and Bell were what the general masses of people did not stop to consider. The realization of their dreams is about you today in the wonderful inventions and conveniences of modern commerce. Don't be afraid of dreams, believe in them and succeed.

For the second time this year the Green Room Club has delighted a large audience with a play. The success of any dramatic achievement rests upon the way it is accepted by the people and in the case of "Arms and the Man," the people responded to show their appreciation of the earnest efforts of the members of the club.

Which Are You?

Are you the kind of a man that a friendly dog won't greet except with a bark, or have you that optimistic manner which makes the dog know you are his friend? The pessimist has never done any good for any one and the sooner we all cultivate optimism the better this wide world of ours will be. It was but yesterday we ran across the pessimist and nothing under the sun suited him. The weather was no good, living was a failure and as for his Alma Mater it was altogether wrong in the principles it held. How long do you think such a man will exist in pleasant company where life holds the bright sun for them; where ambition in constantly by their side and opportunity never has to knock twice. If you ever see a monument erected to the cause of pessimism it will be by another pessimist. Optimism lifts the shadows and makes for a better life and makes every man love his fellow man in true Christian spirit. Be an optimist or die.

The Class of 1920 have met the enemy and have conquered them. Let the feeling of brotherhood now prevail between the two camps. School spirit has been carried out according to the code and once more we are all together in a common purpose for the good of Stetson.

We believe in supporting the entertainments which are given in the city, but the students should not forget that there is plenty of time to attend after the meeting of the literary societies.

It is with pleasure that we notice the numerous poems and prose compositions which have been passed into the paper. In due time they will all be published and no one need fear that their contributions are not acceptable because they do not appear at once. We appreciate the interest taken by the students in their paper and hope that all will do their part toward making it a better and more "newsy" weekly.

STETSON MEN SANG IN JACKSONVILLE

Appeared Under Auspices of Springfield Improvement Association.

Before an appreciative audience last night in the Woman's Club auditorium, the Stetson Glee Club gave a concert appearing under the auspices of the Springfield Improvement Association, and for an hour and a half this group of young men entertained with a varied program, each number of which was thoroughly enjoyed.

In the audience were many former Stetson students, and all seemed to enter the spirit of the occasion most heartily.

Miss Marguerite Spofford, of Claremont, N. H., instructor in voice in the University, was heard to advantage in one solo, and graciously responded to the continued applause with a clever encore.

In fact, so enjoyable was the program that each number was applauded and the boys were forced to respond with many encores, all these numbers being especially clever.

The pianologue given by Arthur Moor was unusual. Mr. Moor gave an original interpretation of a one act opera in which he sang the soprano and baritone parts with ease, and with fine expression.

The complete program for the evening follows:

Glee Club of J. B. Stetson University.

Miss Marguerite Spofford, director.

R. S. Rockwood, manager.

Arthur Moor, accompanist.

Seymour Prestwood, student director.

Part I.

By the Beautiful Blue Danube (Straus), Glee Club.

Vocal solo, Dreams of Long Ago (Enrico Caruso), Wilhelm Pencke.

That Little Peach (W. H. Neidlinger), Glee Club.

Piano solo, Fete Bachique (Ch. Neustedt), Mr. Moor.

The Sandman (Protheroe), quartet.

Vocal solo, The Danza (Chadwick), Miss Spofford.

Intermission.

Pianologue, Mr. Moor.

Part II.

Take Back the Heart (Claribel), Glee Club.

Piano solo, original composition, Pasco Roberts.

Vocal solo, Will the Red Sun Never Set, from On Ghelum River (Amy Woodford-Finden), Mr. Prestwood.

The Low Backed Car (Rhys-Herbert), Glee Club.

A Midnight Tragedy (E. L. Ashford), quartet.

For Fellowship and Song (J. S. Fearis), Glee Club.

Members of the Glee Club:

First Tenor—Russell Rasco, Paul Hon, F. Wideman.

Second Tenor—Rudolph Peterson, Roy Amidon, Wayne Gilman.

First Bass—Seymour Prestwood, Pasco Roberts, Herldon Bowen, Wilhelm Pencke.

Second Bass—Rubert Longstreet, Harry Day, Claude Hebb.

Assisted by Miss Marguerite Spofford, contralto.

Quartet—Paul Hon, Rudolph Peterson, Seymour Prestwood, Rubert Longstreet.

During their visit in Jacksonville the members of the club were entertained in the homes of Mrs. B. W. Blount, Mrs. E. O. Painter, Mrs. Martha Livingston, Mrs. Harry Hoyt, Mrs. Ira G. Nelson, Frank Wideman, Y. M. C. A. and Mrs. W. S. Jennings.

The patronesses for the recital included Mrs. W. W. Cummer, Mrs. W. S. Jennings, Mrs. H. B. Minium, Mrs. F. E. Jennings, Mrs. N. C. Wamboldt, Mrs. W. L. C. Mahon, Mrs. W. A. Hobson, Mrs. Julian S. Rogers, Mrs. Bion H. Barnett, Miss Martha Brotherton, Mrs. W. M. Tupper, Mrs. McN. Wright, Mrs. W. A. Redding, Mrs. A. F. Perry, Mrs. B. W. Blount, Mrs. John G. Christopher, Mrs. N. B. Broward, Mrs. O. M. Wellslager, Mrs. Beulah M. Warner, Mrs. R. B. Rutherford, Miss Bertha Foster, Mrs. E. O. Painter.

The following girls acted as ushers: Misses Helen Minium, Mildred Simmons, Elizabeth Clonts, Clara Johnson, Mildred Brown, Lenora Powell, Josephine Goffin, Dorothy Hodges.—Times-Union.

TRI-DELT NOTES.

Last Wednesday, after fraternity meeting, a spread was given in the fraternity rooms in honor of visiting members, Claire Whiting, and the Misses Davis'.

On Friday afternoon the members of the Tri-Delt Fraternity gave a tea to the Alpha Phi Deltas and to the patronesses of both fraternities.

ALPHA PHI DELTA NOTES.

Mrs. John M. Knote, the inspector of the Alpha Xi Delta Fraternity, is spending the week-end at Stetson as the guest of the Alpha Phi Delta Fraternity.

Miss Fair Stinson enjoyed a week-end visit to her home at Fruitland Park.

Stetson's baseball nine will clash with Ormond All Stars at Ormond on Saturday and next Tuesday will meet the All Star team on the home grounds. Everyone out to the games.

Phi Beta Psi announces the initiation of Robert Bruce and Robert Moore.

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—SUNDAY—
Vespers, 4:00 P. M.

—MONDAY—
Phi Alpha Delta Law Fraternity.

—TUESDAY—
Collegiate Board, 1:00 P. M.
Der Deutsche Verein, 7:30 P. M.
LeCercle Francais, 7:30 P. M.
Krucible Klub, 6:30 P. M.

—WEDNESDAY—
Vesper Choir, 12:45
Delta Delta Delta
Alpha Phi Delta
Pi Beta Phi
Phi Beta Psi
Phi Kappa Delta
Sigma Nu

—THURSDAY—
Y. W. C. A., 4:00 P. M.
Y. M. C. A., 6:45 P. M.

—FRIDAY—
Vesper Choir, 1:00 P.M.
'Varsity Club, 6:30 P. M.
Eusophian Literary Society, 6:30 P. M.
Stetson Literary Society, 7:30 P. M.
Kent Club, 6:30 P. M.

—SATURDAY—
Social Hour, 6:00 to 8:00 P. M.

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BLUE RIDGE CONFERENCE

by

Dr. J. Watt Raine, Berea College.

(Dr. Raine has for many years been a leader and speaker in the Southern Student Conference, Blue Ridge, N. C.)

Blue Ridge Conference is not a place where abnormally pious fellows go to soak themselves in an atmosphere dripping with religion. If you are that sort of Righteous Willie, you will not feel at home here. They would probably drop you into the swimming pool for the sheer pleasure of hearing your holy tones come gurgling up through the water.

You might justly infer that Blue Ridge is not permeated by a severe classic formality. It is a gathering of friends; four hundred young men, and a few older men, enjoying themselves together for ten delightful days. There is nothing greater than friendship, and any possible chance to enter this Blue Ridge group should be eagerly seized. This is not a summer resort where you scrape a shallow acquaintanceship and painfully converse about the weather or the table.

Have you ever wished that you could share some of the deeper experiences of sane and healthy men? Have you wished that you could get down to something solid in religion? Have you wished you could take time to investigate some things that you have heard vaguely mentioned, or touched upon, occasionally but never really explained? Would you like to ask questions of somebody that really knows—somebody that is not afraid to dig into the very heart of things—where you will not shock some good old soul and be called an infidel just because you want to examine the evidence and make sure? Would you like to find out what method of Bible study and praying busy and practical men have found juicy and helpful? Would you like to do something for your bunch at college, or still more, for your younger brother's bunch, to keep them from making fools of themselves, and going to the dogs?

You are the man to go to Blue Ridge. But what about finances? I have just two suggestions: (1) Decide to go. (2) Get the money. This chance comes only once or possibly twice in a lifetime; you must not shilly-shally and let the opportunity slip through your fingers.

CAMPUS GOSSIP.

Gardiner Sherman's father has recently arrived in DeLand and will visit with his son for the greater part of the season.

Mr. William Lourcey was a recent visitor in Daytona.

John Ainsworth, M. Young, Harold Withers and Mr. Fultz spent the week-end in Orlando. The fellows attended the Duval-Orlando game and formed a rooting team for the Duval girls who beat Orlando 17 to 5.

Saturday night the Stetson Glee Club expect to give the second performance of the season since their organization, at Jacksonville.

Law Department.

Mr. Pencke is the new Librarian of the Law School Library. Mr. Melton the former librarian has secured a position in one of the law offices in the city.

The Campfire girls sold candy on the Chaudoin campus Tuesday afternoon.

Tri-Delta Fraternity announces Mrs. W. T. Ainsworth as a patroness.

Sidney Burns was a week-end visitor to his home in Tampa attending the Gasparilla festivities at Tampa.

SECOND POET CONTRIBUTES

Tribute to the Juniors.

May their lives be long and happy,
May their sorrows be but few,
May they have found a gladsome journey,
When their earthly tasks are through.

May they ne'er grow weary doing
That which they set out to do,
May they hit the mark they aim at,
May their wishes ALL come true.

Yes, may A. J. have his Olive,
And Jeane her tall Repete,
And to the other Juniors
More blessings just as sweet.

May Fenno have his Helen,
And Dug his Honey Bee,
But what'll become of the rest of you
Is more than I can see.

Now, these are the wishes of a Senior friend,
Who was once your foeman true,
May you get back more than ever you send,
Is her final wish to you.

—Selected.

The Glee Club has arranged for a week's tour of South Florida.

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VARSITY CLUB.

Senators Hold Debate.

The Varsity Club held its usual meeting Friday night, and altho the attendance was not what it should have been, yet a very good program was put on by those present. During the business session it was decided to have a suitable frame made for the purpose of advertising the meetings of the club. This frame is to contain an announcement of the regular meetings, and will have a place in one corner, in which the programs will be posted from week to week.

After the business session the following program was given:

Short Talk—John Zeigler.
Humorous Reading—Bassett.
Parliamentary Practice—LeMay.

The Parliamentary Practice took the form of a session of the Florida Legislature. Senator Lofquist presented a bill in regard to the Davis Package Law, and this bill was read and discussed in full by the various senators, and was finally passed by them.

GREEN ROOM CLUB.

Present Arms and The Man.

The Green Room Club presented the 17th. Annual College Play on last Friday evening at the University Auditorium. The play was presented before one of the largest and most appreciative audiences in the history of the school. Professor Stover displayed exceptional ability in casting the play and each character was strongly outlined and unusually well portrayed. The new scenery added a great deal to the undoubted success of the performance which was acclaimed by many to be one of the best plays ever presented by the Green Room Club.

Cast.

Catherine Petkoff—Ruth Jackson.
Raina Petkoff—Julia Church.
Louka—Mercedes Powell.
Bluntschli—Wilhelm Pencke.
Officer—Ben M. Hulley.
Nicola—Paul Hon.
Major Paul Petkoff—Thomas McIlvain.
Major Sergius Saranoff—Howard Hodgden.

DUVAL HIGH BURIES STETSON

Ceremony Was a Riot.

The Duval High School Team of Jacksonville met the Stetson five on February first and beat Stetson by the score of 33 to 29. About evenly matched Stetson lost the game. The fair and consistent playing of the High School was too much for the worn-out Stetson heroes, who had just returned from a two weeks' tour and down they went in defeat.

To the victor belongs the spoils and Duval got the spoils.

TRI-DELTS HOLD FEAST.

Initiate New Stove.

The members of the Tri-Delt Fraternity held an informal feasting party at their fraternity rooms in Carnegie Hall last Wednesday evening. The fraternity girls had purchased a new electric stove and it was given a "warm" initiation and was worked overtime for the girls who were dining. Delicious refreshments were served and a most enjoyable evening was spent by the fraternity members and the pledges.

Garland Hale, of the Phi Kappa Delta Fraternity, was a week-end visitor in Jacksonville.

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